

Indiana Hospital/Medical/Infectious Waste Incinerator (HMIWI) Timeline

September 15, 1997

< EPA Promulgates HMIWI Maximum Achievable Control Technology (MACT) standard

February 9, 1999

< State Rule Signed

March 11, 1999

< Effective Date of State Rule

March 31, 1999

< IDEM submits plan to USEPA by March 31, 1999

June 30, 1999 (1st increment of progress)

< Sources planning to retrofit incinerators to meet the MACT standard must submit final control plan to IDEM by June 30, 1999 (sources planning to close their incinerators do not have to submit a plan to IDEM)

September 1999 - tentative

< State Plan Approved by USEPA

< Federal Implementation Plan (FIP) issued by USEPA if State Plan is not approved

March 11, 2000 (one year after effective date of state rule)

< Title V permit applications due to IDEM by March 11, 2000 for all incinerators meeting the MACT standard. Sources that are exempt (burning pathological waste only, co-fired combustors or other exemptions) do not have to submit Title V permit applications.

< Sources complying with the MACT standard must be in compliance with operator training and certification by March 11, 2000

< Sources not installing additional air pollution control devices must be in compliance by March 11, 2000 (applies to sources that are already able to meet emission limits and do not need to retrofit)

< Sources closing their incinerators must have them closed by March 11, 2000

March 31, 2000 (2nd increment of progress)

< Sources must purchase air pollution control device by March 31, 2000

March 31, 2001 (3rd increment of progress)

< Sources must start on-site construction of air pollution control device by March 31, 2001

September 30, 2001 (4th increment of progress)

< Sources must complete on-site construction of air pollution control device by Sep. 30, 2001

March 31, 2002 (5th increment of progress)

< Final Compliance Date

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